

CAPTAIN LITTELL
TELLS OF LAREDOHEAD OF TARKIO COMPANY SEN-
ATORIAL CANDIDATE.HOMESICKNESS COLORS
ACCOUNTS OF BOYSInteresting Letter by Democratic Can-
didate for State Senator on Life
at the Border.Quarters Co. A, 4th Mo. Infy.,
N. G. U. S.

Laredo, Texas, July 23, 1916.

Dear Editor: I thought you might like a word from the front, in these piping times of war. We notice quite a bit of news sent to the home papers by the men, giving the news, and many times the news is tinged by the degree of homesickness of the writer and is not a dispassionate recital of the actual conditions. I should like to give you a fair and impartial notation as the matters seem to me to actually be.

Laredo is a town of about 15,000 people and four-fifths of them are Mexican. It has three parks or plazas and a number of theatres and picture shows. It has an ice plant, electric light and water works plant, a street railroad, but no paving and three railroads. One of the railroads runs from San Antonio, Texas, straight through to Mexico City. There is a railroad bridge here, also a foot and wagon bridge called the International bridge.

At each end of the latter are stationed guards of American and Mexican soldiers. The American guard has been on the American end for the last three years. The Mexican soldiers can be seen from the American side and at the center of the river a monument is erected beyond which American soldiers cannot pass. Many of the boys go out on the bridge and put one foot over into Mexico to be able to say that they have been in Mexico.

The people on the Mexican side are in a bad way for provisions and until recently could only buy a limited amount in Laredo, but since the embargo on foodstuffs has been taken off they can get such provisions as they can pay for. The town of Nueva Laredo lies opposite Laredo in Mexico, and is quite a good sized town. It has been looted and the business part burned during the present revolution.

There is practically no business there now. A small battle took place there some two years ago and the remains of some of the trenches used at that time can still be seen from this side.

There is also a ford about a mile or so west of Laredo, over which some marauding parties have come into Texas. This ford is now patrolled on each side by soldiers. Company A of the Fourth has had a squad on this duty once and the boys saw a real Mexican general come down to the ford on his horse and look over the Mexican patrol. He is the only hostile that we have heard of up to date.

The American people as well as the regular army establishment are very glad to see the national guard come to the border. Laredo would be a probable point of attack in case the Mexican army ever attempted to invade the United States, owing to its direct location on a railroad, out of Mexico City. The Mexican population of Laredo is a very quiet and polite class of people and seem industrious, but do not talk English. The small boys who come about the camp are very polite and have good manners, much more so than the ordinary street gamins about our home towns.

The women come also and solicit washing and seem clean and modest, but almost all of them are almost black in color, with straight black hair and thin features. They do good work and seem anxious to get the work. The men are the poorest looking representatives of the race, as is usual with any race, but they seem to

For
Good things to Eat
try the
New York
Candy Kitchen
MARYVILLE, MO.

Our Army Leaders

Photo by American Press Association.
Brigadier General Hunter Liggett,
United States Army.

7 YEAR OLD WINS

HAROLD PUGH OF GUILFORD ONLY
BOY IN CONTEST.

GOOD W.C.T.U. SPEECHES

Three Judges, Rev. Holliday, Prof.
Miller and Miss Orcutt, Unani-
mous for Him.

Harold Pugh of Guilford, 7 years old, the nephew of Mrs. Anna Martin Pugh, was the winner of the gold medal in the contest which was the feature of the evening session of the W. C. T. U. at the Main street Methodist church last night. His subject was "A Boy's Resolve."

All the other contestants were girls. Their subjects were: Gladys Miller, "An Angel in a Saloon"; Grace Pugh, "A Simple Story"; Gladys Bledsoe, "Farmer Jones Votes Dry"; Hazel Pugh, "Liquor Traffic Should Be Outlawed"; Donna Hinkle, "The Bible and Liquor Traffic"; Alice Smith, "Two Portraits"; Gladys Smith, "The Bridal Winecup."

The judges of the contest were: The Rev. Robert C. Holliday, Prof. H. A. Miller and Miss Alice E. Orcutt. The numbers on the program were well given, but the judges decided unanimously for the 7-year-old boy, whose selection was appropriate and exceptionally well rendered.

The "hit" of the evening was a duet, "John Barleycorn, Good Bye," sung by Buster Strong and Olive Ewing. The appreciation of the audience was shown by a vigorous encore and the children sang another selection. Mrs. Etta F. Winter, state superintendent of purity and rescue work, gave her closing lecture on one of the phases of her work. Miss Nellie Wray sang a solo.

VILLISTAS ON BORDER

TWO HUNDRED CAMPS DIRECTLY
OPPOSITE BOQUILLAS.Clash Expected Hourly With U. S.
Guards—Trevino Still at
Chihuahua.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Marathon, Tex., July 27.—A force of more than two hundred Villistas bandits encamped today opposite Boquillas, according to arrivals from Glenn Springs. Rangers are on guard there and a clash is hourly expected according to reports brought here.

Trevino Still at Chihuahua.

Washington, July 27.—Official denial was received today of the reports that Trevino has been removed from command at Chihuahua.

COL. L. H. WATERS IS DEAD.

Kansas City Attorney Was Law Asso-
ciate of Lincoln.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.
Kansas City, July 27.—Col. L. H. Waters, 88 years of age and the oldest practicing attorney in Missouri, died today. He was a personal friend and law associate of Lincoln

GOOD FOR D. A. R.'S ON ROAD TO GAYNOR

HOT WEATHER AND SOCIAL TO-
NIGHT A COMBINATION.

PROCEEDS TO IMPROVE SEE NORTHEAST NODAWAY

New Monument and Making of Park in
Old Cemetery Among the
Plans.

This hot weather may be distressing to the average person, but it is going to spell "success" for the D. A. R. social, which is to be held tonight on the courthouse lawn. Houses will be unbearable from 7 until 10 o'clock, and every one will prefer to come downtown to the band concert. After listening to a few numbers by the band, the necessity for summer refreshments will arise.

Then will begin the steady stream to the place where the women of the D. A. R. will be serving summer refreshments—ice cream, ices and cake. And while the crowds are satisfying their craving for the "cooler things of life," they will be able to divert themselves with visions of the great improvement, which they will help to bring about in the old city cemetery.

Want City Park in Cemetery.
The D. A. R. want Maryville to have a city park. They will devote the proceeds of the social to bringing this about. How far they can go depends upon the aid which they receive from the public for which they are working. They intend to have gravelled walks laid, to have benches placed beneath the trees, and finally to erect a large stone in honor of the dead buried in the cemetery.

The band has arranged a special program for the evening. Here are the numbers:

March, "Trooper's Tribunal" (Pillmore).
Overture, "Lustspiel" (Keler-Bela).
Gavotte, "Alita (Wild Flower)" (Losey).
Waltz, "One Wonderful Night" (Jones).
March, "Ponderosa" (King).
Descriptive Galop, "An Indian Ride" (Loetz).

Two-step, "At Uncle Tom's Cabin Door" (Cowan).
Overture, "Medley of War Songs" (Laurendeau).
Waltz Selection, "Bower of Beauty" (Brooks).
One-Step, "Society" (Lake).
"Star-Spangled Banner" (Keys).

THE FERN OPENS AGAIN

MOVING PICTURE THEATRE HAS
NEW EQUIPMENT.New Ventilators, Fireproof Appliances
and Better Pictures Among
Improvements.

The Fern Theatre has been reopened under the new management and with all of its equipment complying with the city ordinance for safety from fire. Special ventilation devices have also been installed. K. P. Johns, one of the new owners and manager, is billing a fine class of pictures.

"The Five Faults of Flo" will be shown tonight. It shows how a girl was cured of pride, envy, jealousy, fickleness and ignorance. It is a Mutual masterpiece.

Tomorrow night an extraordinary film, "The Crime of a Nation," will be shown. The story is built around the famous British convict ship "Success." The actual ship is used in the making of the picture and this is of interest because it is the oldest vessel afloat in the world. It was built in 1790 and used for many decades as a floating prison by Great Britain.

RODMAN ESTATE TO WIFE

Two Minor Daughters Get Choice of
Horse or \$175 at Age of
18 Years.

The will of Samuel Rodman, who died recently, was filed in probate court today. It was written on December 21, 1907, and the witnesses were N. Grimley, Wroe Carpenter and L. E. Carpenter. A daughter, Martha Vera Rodman, is given a choice of a horse or \$175, when she reaches the age of 18, and also another daughter, Olga Lee Rodman, is given the same bequest.

The rest of the estate is given to his wife, Minnie M. Rodman during her lifetime, and at her death to be equally divided between the three daughters, the other daughter, being Mary Lorena Brooks. Minnie Rodman is named as executrix of the estate.

"TRAVELOQUE" TAKES IN ORRS-
BURG AND MYRTLE TREE.

SEE NORTHEAST NODAWAY

Good Roads, Attractive Homes, Fine
Crops and Interesting Fea-
tures Noted.

(By Vernon Nash).

The fourth county "travelogue" of the news editor with Marion F. Smith, solicitor for the Democrat-Forum, took us through the northeast part of Nodaway county. We saw the Myrtle Tree community, Orrsburg, Gaynor, Parnell and Ravenwood with the country between. The next three installments deal with the "chatty notes" along these roads.

Leaving Maryville to the northeast, we noted that the tile factory is doing a steady business and turning out the burned clay products.

The road out that way has been graded and worked recently and is in fine shape. A lot of hedge has been grubbed out along the road north of the home of H. W. Hull. We saw George Aley and his force busy in the field stacking oats and waved to Eugene Rathbun, former county clerk, who was down in the barn lot making a bunch of new hog troughs.

Passing the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Anderson, which bears the name of Ideal Stock Farm, we turned east at the Union schoolhouse where the electric light line of the Maryville company branches. The main line to Pickering, Burlington Junction and Clearmont goes west and a smaller line to supply farmers runs north.

Roads in Good Shape.

Byway to the guests of Mr. Byway we had not gone far east, however, until we were reminded by a sign that the bridge was out to permit the dredge boat to pass beneath. So we headed north along the bottoms and were surprised to find the highways which are not graced with the title of main traveled roads in scarcely less attractive condition than the others.

At that corner a half mile east of the Union school, we noticed a fine piece of timothy remarkably clean but almost too ripe. Up the road a few miles we found Will Donahue mowing off the highways and got directions from him as to the best way to get across the river.

Almost every corner found us out putting up the campaign posters of the present and next congressman, W. C. Van Cleave, one of the owners and editors of The Democrat-Forum, made the trip with us in the interest of Mr. Booher's candidacy.

After a run of several miles to the north, we crossed the 102 over the bridge near the pretty country home of J. W. Lamport, where the new ditch of the drainage district was seen, taking all of the water of the river.

Dropped Back to Myrtle Tree.

Once up into the bluffs on the east side of the river, we dropped back to the south several miles in order to see the Myrtle Tree community which is forging to the front as one of the centers of neighborhood life in Nodaway county. The church is a Methodist as denominations go and the Rev. E. R. Kelley of Pickering is the pastor.

That part of the country is noted for its good roads and pretty homes. The church has been remodeled in recent years, has a fine basement for social affairs, is surrounded by cement walks, has a free lighting system, is well painted and has a general air of prosperity.

A school of equal attractiveness adjoins the church on the south and the community cemetery is on a hill to the west of the church. A cave for the keeping of foods and for storm safety has been built in the school yard.

This is the home community of John F. Dowden, candidate for the Republican nomination for sheriff. Several of his sons also live in the community. One of the boys is remodeling his home. It is the members of this community who will thresh for Roy Parent when the machine arrives at his place. He has been ill and unable to work for some time. The women of the community will also serve a dinner.

People Giving the Road.

It was in this section also that we noted another courtesy which is becoming very general and has been noticeable in every trip which we have made over the county. Those driving the slower horse-drawn vehicles once thought that it was a matter of subservience to turn out and let a motor car have all of the good road.

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—Chapin in St. Louis Republic.

NO 'SCOVILLE' HERE FIGHT IN COMMONS

DATES PROPOSED UNSATIS-
FACTORY TO MINISTERS.

HAVE PERSONAL WORK SITTINGS ARE SUSPENDED

Last Two Weeks in August and First
Two in September Offered—Alli-
ance Meets Tomorrow.

The Rev. Charles Reign Scoville will not be in Maryville. In a London, July 27.—The disorder in the house of commons became so uproarious in the discussion of the situation that the session was adjourned temporarily.

All Armenia Now Russian.

Petrograd, July 27.—All Turkish Armenia is now in the hands of the Russians as a result of the capture of Erzerum. Only a feeble resistance is being encountered as the Slavs advance southward toward the Bagdad railway.

Further gains for the Russians along the northeastern frontier of Galicia were reported by the Russian war office today.

The English war office denies the claims of a Turkish victory east of the Suez canal over the British forces in Egypt.

Teutons Must Win in East.

Geneva, Switzerland, July 27.—Advices from Berlin which got by the German censor today contain a well-defined intimation that Rumania is considering throwing its lot in with the entente.

Germany realizes that only a decided military success for the Teutons in the eastern theatre of war will hold back the Bucharest government.

Italians Bombard Albanian Port.

Rome, July 27.—A squadron of Italian aircraft bombarded the Albanian port of Durazzo after a long flight across the Adriatic sea.

Continue Pressing Germans Back.

London, July 27.—There was strong artillery activity last night between the Somme and Ancre rivers by both the British and German guns. The war office in the official report this afternoon stated that the British forces continue to push the Germans back at the various points along the line.

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99 PERCENT R.R.
MEN WANT STRIKEOFFICIALS OF BROTHERHOOD MAY
CALL IT AT ANY TIME.ANOTHER OPPORTUNITY
TO RAILWAY HEADSBelieved Government Would Assume
Control of Roads in Event of
Trouble.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

St. Louis, July 27.—Reports here indicate that the nation-wide vote by the Railroad Brotherhoods for a strike will be almost unanimous.

The strike vote of the four train service brotherhoods which ended last night at midnight, resulted overwhelmingly in favor of a strike.

Confidential advices received today by the St. Louis Republic from all sections of the country justify the forecast that from between 95 and 98 per cent of the brotherhoods membership have voted in favor of a nation-wide strike, affecting practically every railroad in the United States and approximately 450,000 employees.

To Give Roads One More Chance.

It is expected that a joint conference of brotherhood officials and railway managers will be held shortly after, at which the railroad heads will be informed officially the result of the ballot and asked as to whether they care to amend their refusal, made in June, to the demands of the men for an 8-hour day and for time and a half for overtime. The strike vote, just finished, gave Col. Gardiner, who is there the brotherhood official, the right to call a strike, which he deems it advisable.

At the June conference the roads offered to submit the question to arbitration, suggesting the Interstate Commerce Commission. This the brotherhood refused. It is expected that suggestions will be renewed by the roads. It is deemed just as certain that the suggestion again will be refused.

Government May Seize Roads.

Should the strike be ordered by the brotherhoods developments would necessarily follow rapidly. The strike order would paralyze transportation, for it would take out of service practically every engineer, fireman, conductor and trainman in the country. It is known that the railroads are preparing as best they can for this emergency. Tuesday the general manager of the Frisco, E. D. Levy, stated that he will receive applications from engineers, firemen, trainmen and switchmen to prepare for such an eventuality. The Pennsylvania, Union Pacific and other roads have issued similar statements. It is also known that should the break come the roads will at once ask President Wilson for aid either in the way of protection for new crews that the trains may be run, or that the government take other action to end the strike.

Henry Ray of Hopkins was a busi-
ness visitor in Maryville today.

THE WEATHER

Generally fair, with continued high
temperatures tonight and Friday.

FERN Tonight

The Five Faults of Floe

Starring Florence Labadie

How Floe was cured of pride, envy, jealousy,
fickleness and extravagance. A Mutual Mas-
terpiece in Five Acts.

Produced by Thanhouser Film Company

The Coolest Place in Town

5c and 10c.

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ABOUT the CIRCUS

Beautiful highly colored, dresy sporting events have their place in the general scheme of circus arenas. In the avalanche of good things to be offered here on August 5 by the Wheeler Bros. enormous shows many people for the first time will witness the remarkable game of polo on horse back. If horse races, chariot races and Roman standing races were in the old days "the sport of kings," at least nowadays polo is considered a true sport for princes.

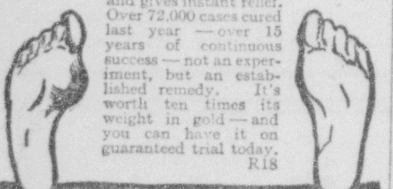
This new five minute number in an otherwise long program crowded with many excellent features will prove interesting and novel when the skilled contestants of two clubs appear in a friendly rivalry for supremacy. The circus arena, the three rings and the hippodrome track. The Tuxedo and Newmarket stables have supplied the wily, well trained polo pony contingent, a delight to the children.

The band music supplied for the opening concert while the audience is being seated, and during the two hours program is of such an excellent and varied nature none but competent musicians, many soloists, all known as endurance players, are engaged for this department, and good music has an added charm to any circus program. The big show will make its daily morning open-end street parade, rain or shine, at 10:30. In case of inclement weather the tents are waterproof affording both comfort and safety.

Read Democrat-Forum want ads.

Welcome News For Bunion Sufferers

If you are suffering from an obnoxious Bunion—no matter how large or painful it may be—come here and get a full box of the celebrated Bunion Comfort Plasters—try one or two plasters, as per direction, and if you do not get almost instant relief and feel perfectly satisfied, bring back the remainder and get your full money back. You need not pay one cent if "Bunion Comfort" does not prove entirely satisfactory. Why continue to go about with swollen, misshapen feet? Why say that Bunions can't be cured, when here is a guaranteed remedy—easily applied—no cutting—no pads or plates—but a wonderfully medicated plaster that works like magic and gives instant relief. Over 72,000 cases cured last year—over 15 years of continuous success—not an experiment, but an established remedy. It's worth ten times its weight in gold—and you can have it on guaranteed trial today.



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N. W. Corner Square, Lock Box 337

No One Should Miss Townsend's Friday Bargain Sale

You will find no such values as these elsewhere.

Country Cured Meat—Fine lot of Shoulders and Hams, lb. 15c and 20c. Will cut in halves at same price. These will be sold quickly. Order early.

Watermelons—Fancy Quality Texas grown Tom Watsons. These melons run large sizes and are high class. Price, each 35c to 50c

White Clover Honey, large frames, well filled, 2 for 25c

Ohio Potatoes—Good quality, special price at, per bu. 75c

Shredded Coconut, fresh stock, 4 pkgs. 15c

Solid Heads Cabbage, 10 lbs. 25c

White Laundry Soap, 9 bars. 25c

Karo Syrup (amber), 10c cans for 8c

Fresh Marshmallows, 25c kind, per lb. 18c

Welch's Grape Juice, qts., 40c; half gal. 68c

Sunshine Graham Crackers, 10c pkgs. 8c

Sunshine Soda Crackers, half boxes for 70c

Half boxes Assorted Cookies for. 90c

Seeded Raisins, 1 lb. 15c pkgs. 11c

Fresh English Walnuts, per lb. 20c

1 gal. jug filled with Pure Cider Vinegar for 25c

Beechnut Pork and Beans (none better), No. 1 cans, 3 for. 25c

No. 2 cans 15c

No. 3 cans 20c

Qt. jars Muddock's Best Mustard, only 20c

Horseradish (pure home prepared) 2 bottles 15c

Tall jars 25c Olives for 15c

Kentucky Bell Preserves (pure fruit and sugar), per jar. 15c

No. 1 quality Prunes, per lb. 10c

Evaporated Apricots, 2 lbs. 25c

Extra Choice Evap. Peaches, lb. 10c

Seedless Raisins, 2 lbs. 25c; 9 lbs. \$1

Good sized Cucumbers, 2 for. 5c

Green Beans, gallon. 20c

Kraft Cheese (try it), tin 15c and 25c

3 lbs. Fresh Baked Ginger Snaps 25c

Vanilla Cookies (bulk), per lb. 15c

Extra large thin skinned Demons, doz. 35c; 3 doz. \$1.00

2 lbs. net weight jars Jam. 20c

Best Grade Hawaiian Pineapple—No. 2 cans sliced or grated, the 25c kind, 2 cans 35c, 3 for. 50c

Calif. Egg Plums, Best Goods (heavy syrup), quart size 20c, or 3 for 50c

Tall cans 1 lb. each Best Pink Salmon 9c, dozen \$1.05

Large cans Cove Oysters, 2 for 25c

You will find the best assortment of Fruits, Fresh Vegetables Etc., here at the lowest price.

TOWNSENDS
FOURTH AND MAIN STS.

ON ROAD TO GAYNOR

(Continued from page 1.)

Now whenever it is possible, most teams are drawn into the far side without having to slow down any and the auto can pass without the danger of skidding into the ditch. It is a courtesy and speaks well for Nodaway county people. Perhaps many of them also own cars and know the trouble it causes to creep around a buggy holding half of the beaten road.

Swinging back toward Orrsburg, we dropped down into the beautiful Moxingo valley and through a long lane of maple trees along the road in front of the home of R. B. Oliphant. We again lapped back a half mile to the south to see Joseph Alexander.

The Alexander home is one of the exceptionally pretty homes of the county. It is just being given a new coat of cream colored paint at this time. Mr. Alexander is the father of Z. R. Alexander who left the First National bank here last winter to become cashier of the Farmers and Merchants bank in Elmo. The elder Alexander spent last winter in Maryville.

Many Attractive Homes. Northeast Nodaway holds its own, too, in the matter of attractive country homes. Among those noted on the roads we traveled between Maryville and Gaynor were the country homes of W. A. Gorton, J. A. Sparks, Benjamin Bosch, A. C. Simmons and Thomas Farrell.

Otho Ulmer has just finished a new barn and a garage for his new Maxwell. L. H. Frazee, like most of the farmers along the Pickering road, has electric lights in his home. Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Clark have a wealth of pretty flowers around their home. George C. Wray is drilling a new well behind his new home several miles south of Myrtle Tree. Ernest Moore has a new shed and garage.

I saw the famous Klaas and Ford orchard a half mile east of Orrsburg. It is a fine example of the work done by spraying. Jeff Ford and the force have been busy all spring and summer giving the several sprayings necessary to insure a death of all the bugs, weevils, parasites and other insects which war on an apple crop. And next fall The Democrat-Forum will be giving the big shipments from this orchard.

We stopped for a chat with J. C. Mahan, who told us that his Timothy was never so heavy before and help was never so scarce. So he went into the field Monday with a binder. He had not intended to thresh for seed. We found later that this has been a common experience and Timothy seed should be cheap. All of the fields are remarkably clean.

Work Hay Like Threshing Times. The scarcity of men reminds us that Frank Froman, section boss for the Burlington here, has released all of his men he could possibly spare so that they could get out and help in the harvesting. Many communities have relied on joint effort and the exchange of labor for getting in the hay and grains.

W. A. Stickle, living a mile southwest of Gaynor, also put a binder in his hayfield, and said that the binder threw off bundles constantly in the heaviest Timothy he ever saw. Mr. Stickle lives in an unusual section.

In the four miles around the 640 acres adjoining Gaynor on the southwest, eight farmers live and every man has a car. Stickle drives a big Oakland 40. William Garard in that community has a new Ford. It was at Stickle's that we got the finest surprise of the day.

We had started late from Maryville and it was well after noon when we reached the Stickle home. While we were talking with the farmer, Mrs. Stickle came from the house with a tray bearing three heaping dishes of ice cream. It was that rich country kind, too, and ice cream may never taste as good again as it did that Monday noon to Smith, "Van" and me.

As we drove around the northwest side of the square to Gaynor, we noted the fine herd of feeder steers belonging to L. A. Neigh. A recent feature in the little inland village is a new galvanized iron shed on the west side of the store for the storing of oil and other products.

And now since we're at Gaynor, I've found a good place to stop on this in-

Special Bargains

For the Last Two Days of Our Greatest July Sale

Friday and Saturday

SKIRTS

All Wash Skirts, white, linen and sport stripe now 1/4 off

All White Wool Skirts and Corduroy Skirts now 1/4 off

DRESSES

One lot 29 Womens and Childrens wash dresses carried over will be closed out during this last week at, only each 50c

One lot Ladies Wash Dresses, worth \$6.75 to \$7.50 now, only \$4.98

All Silk Dresses at 1/2 and 1/4 off

WASH DRESS GOODS

40c and 45c Flowered Summer Dress Goods now, only 25c

One lot 25c and 35c Summer Dress Goods now, only 16c

40c and 48c Sport Stripe Goods for skirts now, only 25c

"Hope" Muslin only, per yd. 8c

"Daisy" Muslin only, per yd. 10c

Remnants of Calico, per yd. 5c

Jap Silk Waists only, each 79c

All Ladies Muslin Underwear now 1-5 off

25c Large Size Turkish Bath Towels only 19c

25c Ladies Ribbed Vests only 15c

One lot \$1.25 and \$1.50 Corsets now, only 79c

Calico, Percales and Gingham

All the Best Calico only, per yard 5c

36-inch best 12 1/2c Percales, only per yard 10c

12 1/2c Dress Gingham sun and tub proof, only 10c

Coats best thread, per spool, only 4c

KIMONOS

\$1.48 and \$1.98 Crepe Kimonos now, only 98c

One lot of those beautiful Silk Kimonos, now exactly 1/2 Price

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The Store Quality and Low Prices Built

stallment. Tomorrow I'll continue on southeast into Parnell.

ACT QUICKLY.

Delay Has Been Dangerous in Maryville.

Do the right thing at the right time. Act quickly in time of danger.

In time of kidney danger Doan's Kidney Pills are most effective.

Plenty of Maryville evidence of their worth.

Mrs. K. E. Ratcliffe, 816 N. Walnut St., Maryville, says: "Every morning I used to get up with the most terrible backaches. It seemed as though my back would break. My head ached a great deal and I was awfully dizzy. Too. My kidneys acted so frequently that my rest was disturbed many times during the night. I saw Doan's Kidney Pills so highly recommended that I got some at Love & Gaugh's Drug Store. They proved highly successful and removed the trouble. It hasn't been necessary for me to use a kidney medicine now for over four years."

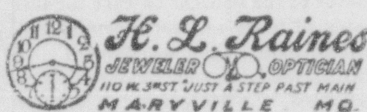
Price 50c, at all dealers. Don't simply ask for a kidney remedy—get Doan's Kidney Pills—the same that Mrs. Ratcliffe had. Foster-Milburn Co., Props., Buffalo, N. Y.

Frank Cummins is spending his vacation in Des Moines, the guest of Carl Marxer. Mr. Marxer spent several weeks in Maryville with Mr. Cummins in June.

Other People Notice Your Need For Glasses

even when you are trying to deceive yourself. That constant frowning and the manner in which you hold things to look at, give you away.

Do not delay in Having Some Fitted



ANNOUNCEMENTS.

We are authorized to announce the candidacy of J. W. McKnight of King City for state senator from the first senatorial district, subject to the action of the Democratic voters in the primary election to be held the first Tuesday in August, 1916.

We are authorized to announce the candidacy of James H. Hull of Platte City for representative in congress from the fourth congressional district, subject to the action of the Democratic primary, August 1.

For Treasurer.

We are hereby authorized to announce the candidacy of Tom Wallace for the Democratic nomination for treasurer, subject to the action of the primary, August 1.

We are hereby authorized to announce the candidacy of James Blagg for the Democratic nomination for treasurer, subject to the action of the primary, August 1.

For Sheriff.

We are authorized to announce the candidacy of E. C. Moberly for the Democratic nomination for sheriff of Nodaway county, subject to the action of the primary held August 1.

We are authorized to announce the candidacy of John F. Dowden for the republican nomination for sheriff, subject to the action of the primary on August 1.

We are authorized to announce the candidacy of Gabe Purcell for the Democratic nomination for sheriff of Nodaway county, subject to the action of the primary, August 1.

We are authorized to announce the candidacy of W. A. Burks for sheriff of Nodaway county, subject to the action of the Democratic primary, August 1.

ANNOUNCEMENT.

To the Democratic voters of the first senatorial district of Missouri: Since announcing my candidacy for senator on the Democratic ticket from this district, I have been called with the national guard of this state into the country's service by President Wilson.

I am rendering this service willingly because it is the duty that every good citizen should be glad and willing to perform. I cannot say how long I will be away. I feel, however, that we will return to our home station before election, and certainly before the next legislature meets.

I must trust my candidacy to my friends and the Democratic voters of the district, and I pledge to them that if they nominate and elect me to this important position, that I shall be glad to render the same prompt service to their interests in the state that I am now rendering to our country.

W. R. LITTELL,
Capt. 4th Mo. Infantry, Candidate for State Senator.

We are authorized to announce the candidacy of Robert I. Young of St. Joseph for representative in congress from the fourth congressional district, subject to the action of the Democratic primary, August 1.

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5 Gallon Bottles 50 cents Delivered

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We want to do Your Watch and Jewelry Repairing
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Children—10 cents
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Vitagraph-Lubin-Selig-Essanay Inc., Presents

Charlie Chaplin in "Carmen"

In this Production Chaplin has risen above the sordiness of "rough and tumble slap-stick" and demonstrates an unusual faculty for interpreting and portraying travest situations in a manner that stamps him a true artist.

Boiled Water Does Not Make Pure Water

(By Dr. A. L. Wood, New York City)

"Many people who realize the danger of using the impure city water, boil it and feel happy; others filter it and rest secure. Let us see if they have remedied the trouble.

Boiling impure water, aside from the destruction of SOME of the disease germ, the elimination of some of the gases and a deposit of a portion of the carbonate of lime, ALWAYS MAKES IT MORE IMPURE. Boil a gallon of water until there is but a quart left and the quart will contain all the impurities of the gallon, except as above stated, and be nearly four times as impure as before. Continue the boiling and all the impurities, animal, vegetable and mineral, except the gases thrown off, will be reduced to one solid mass. The water which is evaporated and passes off as steam is very nearly pure. But, you will say, it kills the dangerous germs. We will suppose it does, but their remains furnish material for bacterial life to feed upon. Do you relish the idea of eating in food, or drinking, their dead and decomposing bodies, which poison the water by their decomposition? The fact is, scientific investigation has proved that boiling only kills the FEEBLEST, the least injurious germs.

Try a simple experiment. Put unboiled city water in one bottle, and the same that has been boiled for half an hour or more in another, cork tightly and keep in the sun or in a warm place for a week or longer, and note the difference. The unboiled water will show a marked depreciation in looks, taste and smell, but that which has been boiled will be so much worse in these respects that no one would think of using it. In comparison with these you can submit a properly sealed bottle of pure distilled water to the same conditions, and at the end of a year it will be found to be as pure, sweet and perfect as when first bottled."

Drink Crystal Distilled Water, IT'S PURE

50c Bottle Delivered

Banner Bottling Company
Manufacturers

CAPTAIN LITTELL

TELLS OF LAREDO

(Continued from page 1.)
be industrious and courteous. The local Americans seem to feel that the Mexican population would side with Mexico in case of actual hostilities.

The Rio Grande is about the size of the Kaw or Platte river and is similar in character so far as the actual water bed is concerned. Its banks are steeper and higher and are of a silt deposit, as is the whole valley of the river.

The soil is similar to that of the valley of the River Nile, and is like it in productivity. There are many irrigation projects in the valley and most of them are supplied with water pumped from the river to the land and there raised into aqueducts by pumps and distributed from them to

the land. Onions are the chief product and as high as \$300 an acre is realized from them. Corn, cane, vegetables, watermelons, muskmelons and some citrus fruits are grown here also.

There are no trees that could be called such, the largest being the mesquite, which sometimes attains a height of twenty feet and has a very thin foliage. There is a variety of other thorny bushes and all go under the name of chapparal. There is plenty of cactus and sandburs. The natives do their farming almost entirely on burros, and their braying can be heard at any time of day or night in camp. They hitch them to two and four wheeled vehicles and literally cover them with loads of fodder and other merchandise.

Goats are used extensively for milk and meat. Cattle are raised also but the drought of the last year has sent them all out of the country for pasture. The climate is semi-arid and

flat to rolling, with no distinguishing landmarks. The perspective is a dreary waste of low brushy ridges with sand wastes showing. There are plenty of horned toads, lizards, with an occasional centipede or tarantula.

We notice the many stories about the torrid conditions in camp here and hear many expressions of sympathy for the poor boys sweltering in the camps. This impression is largely erroneous. Our men are well fed and have the best quality of food, in many instances better than we can get at home, and all they want of it. The water is good and is boiled as a precaution against dysentery. The camp site is sanitary, except for a low place of about an acre, where the water from the rains collects, and which can be drained. We have not had a case of sickness in our company due to any local cause.

Our camp site is a much better one than the state camp at Nevada and is a more comfortable one, in regard to the matter of the heat. While the temperature sometimes gets up to 105, it is always cool in the shade and no drilling is done after 10 a. m., so that we have no heat prostrations. Such illness as we have had has been due in large measure to sore arms resulting from the typhoid and smallpox vaccinations. Some of the boys get homesick and if they happen to have a girl back home they have a double dose of it and see things blue. Such fellows congregate together and keep themselves in deep gloom, and they usually write the doleful tales home.

As I write this note I can hear the rooting from about four baseball games and at night the end of about every company street is the scene of an impromptu concert. We have had one dust storm since we came and it was the most unpleasant thing that has happened. It lasted about forty-five minutes and one could scarcely see twenty feet. If we had a little shade and no dust storms, I think that this would be the best camp site that we have ever been in.

Our fellows get quite a bit of good cheer from home and they are rapidly becoming acclimated and bronzing into good soldiers. If we are called into actual hostilities I have no fear of the account that we will be able to give of the men from the "Show Me" state. Five thousand of them are here and they are "rearing to go."

I am writing you this letter for the news there may be in it for you and also lest your readers forget my candidacy for the state senate. I am not able to campaign much here and trust that you will remind your readers that I am still in the running, and want them to help me August 1 next at the primary. Yours truly,

W. R. LITTELL,

Capt. 4th Mo. Infy., Laredo, Tex.
Democratic Candidate for State Senator, First Missouri District.

LEWIS D. NASH DIES.

Michigan Man Known Here Passes Away at Home.

Lewis D. Nash passed away at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Nash, 218 Prairie Ronde street, July 22, and funeral services were held this afternoon at the late home, Rev. C. E. Leavers officiating, with burial in Riverside.

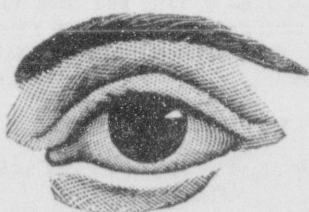
Mr. Nash was a little past 31 years of age and he was born here, attending the city schools and being well known to many who will regret his death so early in life. He was the eldest of a family of ten children and five brothers and four sisters survive him, as well as the parents.—Dowagiac, Mich., News.

John Owen Murrin leaves tonight for Atchison, Kan., where he will take a position in the First National Bank for the rest of his vacation.

Noble Reaksecker of Skidmore was in Maryville on business today.

Putting It Off

has been the ruin of as many eyes as any other one thing. There may be the feeling of a slight inconvenience at first.



You may think, "Oh, they will be all right in a few days." Don't be deceived, if there is ever an eye defect at all, you should not rest until

A COMPETENT SPECIALIST HAS BEEN CONSULTED.

You may save yourself a life of displeasure by coming to us in time.

No charge for examination.

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To Attend Chautauqua.

Mrs. Ralph Eversole, Mrs. Alice Lake and Miss Hazel Lake went to Pickering today to attend a Chautauqua session and to spend the day at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. G. McMillan.

Entertains at Dinner.

Miss Ora Eckles, 218 West Torrance street, entertained at a dinner party Wednesday evening. Plates were laid for Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Eckles, Misses Lois and Edna Bonewitz, Miss Helen Todd, Miss Lois Farmer and the hostess.

Birthday Picnic.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Allen celebrated the eighteenth birthday anniversary of their son, Elmer, with a picnic party last night at Chautauqua Park. A picnic supper was served to the following: Mr. and Mrs. Allen and sons, Wilbur, Harold, Walter, and Calvin; their daughters, Henrietta and Lucy, Miss June Jones and D. E. Hotchkiss.

Theatre and Automobile Party.

Mrs. Mary Phares entertained at an automobile and theatre party last night in honor of her house guest, Miss Louise Wray, of Decatur, Ill. The guests motored to Burlington Junction and to Wilcox and afterwards went to the Empire theatre. The guests were: Mrs. J. S. Shinabargar and her daughter, Miss Mildred, Misses Mary Margaret Condon, and Helen Dean.

Mrs. Ford, Hostess, Penelope Club Session.

Nineteen members of the Penelope Club defied the "heat o' the sun" and attended the regular meeting, which was held at the home of Mrs. J. D. Ford on North Buchanan street yesterday afternoon.

Mrs. Ford utilized the colors of the club—lavender and white—in decorating, and also had refreshments in the same colors. Her assistants were dressed in white and wore lavender ribbons.

Dominoes was the diversion of the afternoon, the tables being placed on the lawn under the trees.

Refreshments were also served out of doors.

Besides the members of the club, the visitors were: Mrs. Henry Eckert, Mrs. S. Cox, Mrs. John F. Thompson, Mrs. Warren Jones and daughter, Mary Elizabeth, Mrs. Lloyd Hankins and daughter, Helen, Mrs. M. E. Farrar and little Marian Catterton.

Mrs. Ford was assisted by Misses Thelma Roberts, Verna and Ada Clark, Ruby and Elva Hefflin, Gladys Rhinehart and Mattie Price.

For Miss Beattie.

Mrs. A. B. Allen and her daughter, Mrs. M. L. Beattie, were hostesses to a

Alderman Yehle Dry Goods Co.
WEST THIRD STREET, MARYVILLE, MO.

Big Remnant Sale Starts Saturday Morning

DURING the Spring and Summer selling and the July Clearance Sale we have accumulated a large number of short lengths, odds and ends and broken lots of merchandise in the various departments. On Saturday, Monday and Tuesday we are having a special Remnant Sale in which you will be afforded the opportunity of securing reasonable merchandise, in many cases, at less than half their real values.

You will find here on the Remnant Tables, slippers for both Women and Children, Corsets, Underwear, Dresses for Women, Misses and Children, Blouses, Tailored Suits, Hosiery, Tailored Coats, Palm Beach Suits, Wash Skirts, Hats, Kimonos, Hand Bags, Odd Curtains; and good usable lengths of Silks, Wool Goods, Fancy Wash Goods, White Goods, Crashes, Table Linens, Laces and Embroideries, Ribbons, Muslins and Sheetings, Percales, Ginghams, Calicoes, Shirtings, Draperies, and Carpets. In fact you will find every department represented in this Big Remnant Sale.

Remember, these items will all be arranged in special lots and marked at Remnant Prices.

Come Saturday Morning and make your selections while the assortments are at their best.

euchre party given this morning at the home of Mrs. Beattie in honor of Miss Margaret Beattie of New Port, Ark., who is their guest. Flowers were used in decoration, and summer refreshments

Mr. World's Progress — Empire was served. Mrs. Virgil — Empire, the recipient of the game prize, and guest favors were given to Miss Beattie and Miss Willa Mae Mitchell.

The hostesses gave a second party

this afternoon, bridge being the game played.

Miss Evans, Hostess.

House Guests Honored.

Miss Mattie Evans, Parnell, gave a

Many — Empire, now working arranged Each Day at

of her house guests Misses Vella Booth,

Mary Lewis and Alma Lucas of Mary-

ville. The girls are all classmates.

The decorations were carried out in yellow and white, sunflowers being

used profusely. The punch bowl which was placed on the dining table was

banked with sunflowers and punch was

served throughout the evening. The

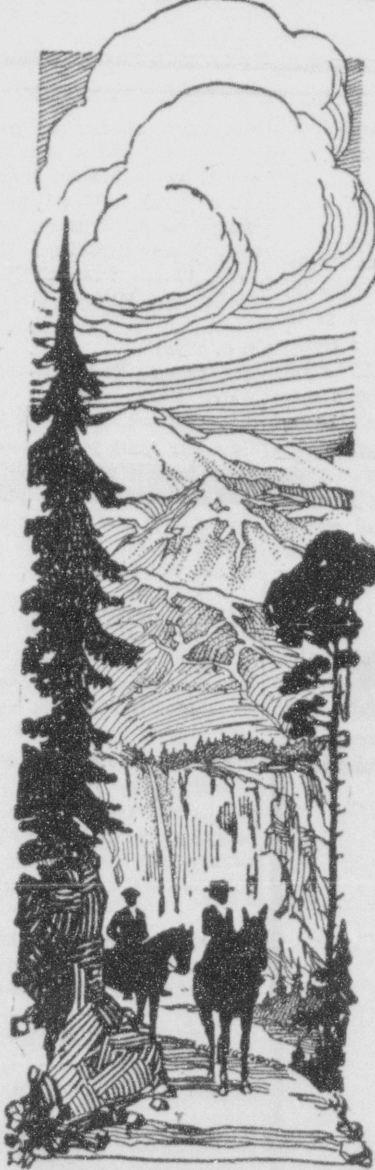
time was spent in playing progressive

games, after which refreshments were

served. The girls are all classmates.

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COLORADO



THE mountain

state whose popularity with American travelers has resulted in adequate provision for their comfort at moderate cost; where the rugged Rockies have been conquered with splendid highways, so that sight-seeing requires no effort.

Volumes have been written about the grandeur of Colorado scenery; the exhilaration of Colorado ozone; the general inspiration, mental and physical, of a Colorado vacation—and every word is true.

You can't exaggerate the pleasure and profit of a trip to Colorado.

Starting from Denver, you can take numerous automobile and trolley trips into the mountains, 14 of which can be made in one day each.

This beautiful city, capital and metropolis of the state, is an ideal headquarters for tourists.

When you buy your ticket, remember that the

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Has Two Excellent Trains Daily to Colorado

Low Summer Excursion Fares Now in Effect

Send for "Colorado for the Tourist," a guide book which describes the resort regions of Colorado. Free if you will fill out and mail the coupon, phone or call at the address below, where all prospective tourists can obtain complete information as to any western trip.

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Please send me free descriptive booklet "Colorado for the Tourist."

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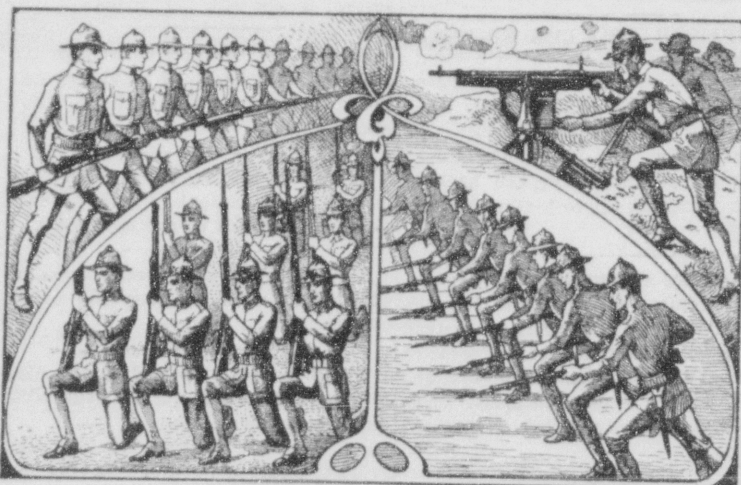
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CLASSIC, SUPERB, THE REAL CIRCUS BEAUTIFUL!
500—Select, Proved, Highest Paid Artists—500
Seven Sensational Special Displays!
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This is the ONLY Truly Great Show Coming to your City this year. It is the ONLY SHOW IN AMERICA presenting Entirely New, Startling and Enormously Expensive Features THAT YOU HAVE NEVER SEEN BEFORE!



SEE THE TERRIFIC AERIAL BATTLE!
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THE EXCITING POLO GAMES!
"THE WORLD AT WAR!"
THE WONDERFUL PEKIN GUARDS!
THE GREAT MILITARY DISPLAY!
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"DAVID AND GOLIATH!"

A New Era in Circus History. Splendor on Splendors!
Its Grandeur, Beauty, Originality and Vast Costliness has Amazed the World!
THERE IS NO OTHER LIKE IT ON EARTH!

See The Mighty, NEW STYLE PAGEANT DAILY
ON THE STREETS AT 10:30 A. M.
PERFORMANCES AT 2 AND 8 P. M. DOORS OPEN ONE HOUR EARLIER.

COME EARLY! Our Enormous Program requires it to start exactly on the minute.

Maryville, August 5

They
SATISFY!

How America's largest cigarette manufacturer has accomplished "the Impossible" by producing a MILD cigarette that SATISFIES. It is the CHESTERFIELD Cigarette :

ALMOST anybody can make a cup of coffee. But there are said to be not over a half-dozen restaurants in the United States where they know how to make it right.

Similarly, almost anyone can make a cigarette. Just roll up some tobacco in a piece of pure paper—and there you are.

There are, perhaps, over 800 brands of cigarettes sold in this country today. But not one of them does what Chesterfields do—for Chesterfields are MILD; and yet they SATISFY.

Some cigarettes may be mild, but they don't satisfy. Only one cigarette does BOTH—Chesterfield!

This truly unique cigarette has all of that refreshing taste—delicacy (or mildness) which any good cigarette must have. Yet, without sacrificing any of this delightful mildness, Chesterfields go one step further—they do more than merely "please your taste"—they let you know you've been smoking. They satisfy!

And yet they're mild!

A Step Forward in Cigarette-Making

WE are proud to be the firm that has brought about this important new development in cigarette enjoyment—for that is exactly what the Chesterfield blend is.

This cigarette is an outgrowth of long, earnest effort on the part of this, the largest cigarette manufacturing concern in the United States.

The mild, yet satisfying Chesterfield blend is not the result of happy chance. It is one of the results of our many years of cigarette experience—of the heavy volume of our purchases of cigarette tobacco—of the prestige and advantage these enormous purchases give us in securing the choicest leaf from the tobacco fields of the world.

Chesterfields are an achievement.

A New Thing for a Cigarette to Do

CHESTERFIELDS do the one thing you have always wished a cigarette would do—they satisfy!

Smoke them and we believe you will find that ordinary cigarettes seem by comparison almost flat.

Give Chesterfields (20 for 10 cents) a trial. We believe you will be glad to learn what they can teach you about cigarette enjoyment.

You have been reading here some rather unusual, almost daring, statements about a cigarette. If Chesterfields were an untried cigarette—if we had not been observing their behavior in other cities—if we did not KNOW that they make good with smokers, we could not afford to make these statements to you over our signature.

But these statements, strong as they are, can mean little or nothing to you until you have actually smoked your first Chesterfield.

You will find that your own dealer has Chesterfields waiting for you.

Liggett & Myers Tobacco Co.

Largest cigarette manufacturer in the United States as shown by Internal Revenue reports.

NEWS OF SOCIETY AND WOMEN'S CLUBS

(Continued from Page 3).

The guests included: Misses Elma Martin, Barbara Waldorf, Gertrude Spire, Alma Lyle, Quete Morgan, Mertie Hutchinson, Sella Poland, Wilma Milliken, Tom Farrel, Ed. Hart, Noble Clark, Byron Bird, Virgil Spoonmore, Troy Milliken, Martin Farrel, Harry Free Meyer, Will Boedecker and Troy Bloomfield and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Harison.

Dinner For House Guests.

Misses Vella Booth, Alma Lucas and Mary Lewis of Maryville, who are the house guests of Miss Matie Evans at Parnell, will be the honor guests at a

dinner given by Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Kennedy of Parnell, an aunt and uncle of Miss Booth.

Murphy-McNeal Nuptials.

The wedding of Mrs. Verna Murphy and Alfred McNeal, both of Maryville, took place yesterday afternoon at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Horton in St. Joseph. The Rev. C. M. Chilton performed the ceremony. After a short wedding tour, Mr. and Mrs. McNeal will make Maryville their home, living on West Thompson street.

Mrs. McNeal is the oldest daughter of Mrs. Anna McDaniels, and was an employee of the Alderman-Yehle store for some years.

Picnic for S. S. Class.

Miss Emma Jane Crandall entertained the members of her Sunday School class with a picnic party given

last night at Normal park. Games were played and a picnic supper was served by the hostess assisted by Miss Clara Wray. Those present were: Misses Naomi Brittain, Gertrude Garrett, Lena McMillen, Hope Moore, Treva Phipps, Pearl Shelton, Margaret Forney and Mildred Wray.

S. S. Class

Mrs. Eugene Ogden, hostess. Mrs. Eugene Ogden will entertain the members of her Sunday School class and their husbands with a lawn party tonight at her home. The evening will be spent in playing outdoor games and refreshments will be served by the hostess. About thirty guests will be present.

31 DEATHS; 151 STRICKEN

Infantile Paralysis Seems to Grow Steadily Worse in New York City.

Special to The Democrat-Forum. New York, July 27.—Thirty-one deaths resulted from the infantile paralysis epidemic in this city in the last twenty-four hours. One hundred and fifty-one new cases are reported.

They are beauties. Those new two-tone effect girls' and women's shoes at Montgomery Shoe Company.

BOYCOTT PROTEST SENT.

British Note Objects Strongly to the Blacklist. Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Washington, July 27.—American protests against British boycott is now in the hands of the British foreign office. Acting Secretary Polk today let it be known that the protest was approved by the president last night. It immediately went in code to the ambassador at London.

We know those new shoes just arrived will delight you. Montgomery Shoe Company.

FIGHT IN COMMONS

(Continued from Page 1.)

French Also Claim Progress.

Paris, July 27.—Progress for the French on the Somme front and also in the Verdun sector was reported by the war office today. The communique states that the Germans attacked north of the Aisne and also delivered a strong assault at Champagne but were repulsed in both places.

The ground gained on the Somme front was south of the river. At Verdun the French made their attacks with hand grenades west of Thiaumont, which enabled them to move forward in their positions.

Germans Claim Repulse Everywhere. Berlin, July 27.—Repulse of the British, French and Russian attacks were reported in the official statement of the German war office today. On the Somme front, the British drive was made with hand grenades west of Pozieres but failed to gain any ground south of the Somme river.

The French attacked northeast of Boreaux but were repulsed. On the eastern front, the Russian attacks on the Schitschar river near Beresteko on the Galician border broke down.

MARKET REPORTS

MARKETS BY TELEGRAPH.

Grain Market Futures.

Special to The Democrat-Forum. Kansas City, July 27.—WHEAT—July, \$1.13½; Sept., \$1.17½. CORN—July, 79½c; Sept., 76½c.

Kansas City Live Stock.

Special to The Democrat-Forum. Kansas City, July 27.—CATTLE—Receipts, 5,000; market higher; steers, \$8 to \$9.85; cows, \$4 to \$9.75. HOGS—Receipts, 8,000; market 5c higher; top, \$9.80; bulk, \$9.60 to \$9.75. SHEEP—Receipts, 3,000; market strong.

Chicago Live Stock.

Chicago, July 27.—CATTLE—Receipts, 3,000; market steady; estimate tomorrow, 1,500. HOGS—Receipts, 16,000; market 5c higher; top, \$10; estimate tomorrow, 17,000. SHEEP—Receipts, 11,000; market 10c higher.

St. Joseph Live Stock.

St. Joseph, July 27.—CATTLE—Receipts, 1,200; market steady. HOGS—Receipts, 6,000; market strong; top, \$9.75. SHEEP—Receipts, 4,000; market strong.

Furnished daily by Frost & Speira. Fresh Eggs, doz.16c Butter fat, per lb.20c Hens, per lb.13c Roosters and stags, per lb.6c Hides, per lb.14c Ducks, per lb.9c Geese, per lb.7c

Demonstrated Fire Extinguisher.

A chemical fire extinguisher was demonstrated on the streets yesterday afternoon by an agent. A box filled with pitch was lighted and put out after it was blazing well, creating much interest.

Mrs. T. C. Cooper Operated Upon.

Mrs. T. C. Cooper, wife of Superintendent Cooper of the Skidmore schools, underwent an operation at St. Francis hospital this morning.

Ed Keck Back From Trip.

Edward W. Keck returned this morning from a few weeks' trip at several points at the lakes in Wisconsin. Mrs. Keck will remain for a longer visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank McKee of Barnard, Henry Wilhoite and Charles Evans of Parnell were city visitors today.

The most authentic styles in women's and girls' shoes just arrived at Montgomery Shoe Company.

Misses Ethel Cook and Mamie Johnson, Charles Psenner and Glen Jeffries spent yesterday evening in St. Joseph.

Charles Shambarger and daughter, Lenora, of Graham, were visiting friends in Maryville today.

Mr. and Mrs. Pat J. Lyon of Conception were shopping in Maryville today.

Mr. and Mrs. John Swartz are spending the week in Kansas City.

George Brown of Burlington Junction was a Maryville visitor today.

Mrs. Dan Cook went to St. Joseph to visit friends and relatives.

Read Democrat-Forum want ads.

CALL IN TIME

If you wish to have your painting and paper hanging done by M. L. GRABLE

520 N. Buchanan, Hanamo \$122.

Keeping Cool Is Largely a Matter of CLOTHES

Come here for the things you need to make these hot days more comfortable. We have everything in this Men's store to make the heat less oppressive.

Men's cool summer furnishings such as Palm Beach Suits and Pants, Straw and Panama Hats, all styles of Underwear, Soft and Sport Shirts, Hosiery, Oxfords, etc.

Our Prices Will Satisfy You

Murphy Clothing Co.

Successor to Berney Harris

No. 2—Hanamo Telephone Co. Talking

This is Mr. Adams, the man you put a telephone in for yesterday. I want to thank you people for your promptness, as Mary and I are more than pleased with the excellent service you render.

Mr. Adams is just in time for the

New Directory, Aug. 15, 1916

Hanamo Telephone Company

BURRIS SPEAKS AT ARKOE

District Superintendent Will Discuss the Temperance Question Sunday Evening.

Dr. W. F. Burris, of Maryville, District Superintendent of the Methodist Church, will address the members of the Methodist church at Arkoe on a subject dealing with temperance, Sunday evening. Since election time is so near and a great deal of the success of prohibition depends upon the election of believers in the movement, a sermon of this sort was considered especially timely by the church authorities.

MARYVILLE FEDS TO CRAIG.

Will Play Today and Tomorrow in Big Two-Day Picnic.

Manager Cleav Funk and his Maryville Feds left this morning in cars for Craig, Mo., where they will play two games of baseball today and tomorrow as one of the attractions of the two-day picnic there. Kenneth Van Cleve of The Democrat-Forum reportorial staff accompanied the team as official scorer and will send back accounts of the game and the trip.

ANOTHER "DRUNK" DIVORCE SUIT

Pansy Rush Only Lived Three Months With Husband.

Pansy Rush brought suit for divorce today against Hubert Rush. She charges drunkenness and failure to provide for her. The petition recites that they were married in the state of Iowa on June 5, 1915, and lived together until September 15 of that year. Ellis G. Cook is the attorney for the plaintiff.

ONLY UP TO 98 YESTERDAY.

Mercury Stood at 97 at 1 o'Clock This Afternoon.

Yesterday, although it seemed as warm, fell two degrees short of Tuesday's record. The mercury was able to reach the ninety-eighth degree on the upward scale. The thermometer at 1 o'clock this afternoon was standing ominously at 97. The final box score will be given tomorrow.

Misses Hazel Cook and Hazel Porter of the Alderman-Yehle store are on their vacations this week. Miss Cook is spending hers in Cameron, Albany and Trenton, and Miss Cook is at home.

BACK FROM DES MOINES.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Westfall Made Trip in Car.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Westfall and son Marvin returned last evening from Des Moines, Ia. They made the trip in their car and were accompanied home by James W. and George Longan of Des Moines, Ia. Mr. and Mrs. Westfall were accompanied on their trip to Des Moines by Mrs. Earl Robinson of St. Joseph and Miss Lucy Longan of Des Moines.

ARREST THREE IN BOMB CASES.

San Francisco Suspects in Preparedness Parade Tragedy Held.

Special to The Democrat-Forum. San Francisco, Cal., July 27.—Two men and a woman were arrested on suspicion in the bombs case. Evidence was said to be found that they prepared the infernal machine exploded during the preparedness parade.

APPROPRIATION BILL SIGNED.

Wilson Approves Rivers and Harbors Bill Today.

Special to The Democrat-Forum. Washington, July 27.—The president today signed the rivers and harbors bill carrying an appropriation of \$42,886,065.

Advance Chautauqua Man Here.

Roy Combs, advance man for the Redpath-Vawter Chautauqua system, was in Maryville today making some of the final arrangements for the sessions which begin a week from today. Banners and more advertising matter was put up.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Bailey and son, Billy, who have been visiting in Chicago returned yesterday.

Yes, those new shoes are here, girls, Montgomery Shoe Company.

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Mundy Operated on Yesterday.

Col. R. G. Mundy who was kicked by his horse a short time ago was operated on yesterday afternoon at St. Francis hospital. His condition today was very satisfactory.

Mrs. G. R. Cornelius, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Murrie, arrived last night from Ft. Dodge, Ia., to spend several weeks with her parents.

Mrs. Nellie Reardon of St. Joseph and Miss Nell Lynch of Stanberry are the guests of Dr. and Mrs. K. C. Cummins.

Prof. W. M. Westbrook left this morning for Marshall, where he will be superintendent of public schools.

W. E. Freytag and George Greeson of Graham were in Maryville today on Chautauqua business.

Dr. E. L. Crowson and Grant McMillan of Pickering were in Maryville on business today.

W. C. Pearson left this morning for Cornish where he will look after his farming interests.

Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Nigh and their daughter and son of Parnell, were in Maryville today.